

## SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MONTHLY STATISTICS

AUGUST, 1954.

Particulars	Jan-Aug.			1954	1953
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<u>VITAL</u> - Births Regd.	11,842	11,898	No.	1,393	1,544
Deaths "	4,798	4,380	No.	776	659
Marriages	4,049	4,018	No.	337	446
Infantile Deaths	258	238	No.	30	33
<u>BUILDING PERMITS</u> by Metropolitan Municipalities					
Dwellings			No.	476	414
			£	1,313,889	1,025,689
Other New Buildings			No.	58	67
			£	343,918	220,830
Additions, &c.			No.	936	973
			£	329,795	310,337
Government			£	42,713	54,078
Total Value			£	2,030,315	1,610,934
" " Jan-August			£	14,295,271	14,177,557
Dwellings Jan-August			£	3,176	4,140
<u>BANKING</u> - Clearings - Weekly Average			£	16,296,722	14,423,880
Savings Banks Deposits - State			£	96,129,239	89,452,120
Comlth			£	28,825,235	26,139,581
Total			£	124,954,474	115,591,701
<u>GENERAL FINANCE</u> - Bankrupts, Schemes &c.			No.	7	2
Assets			£	7,194	14
Liabilities			£	11,479	987
Real Estate - Mortgages					
Loans			£	3,452,600	2,838,400
Discharges			£	1,299,200	1,222,200
Land Transferred			£	5,022,300	3,990,900
<u>MOTOR REGISTRATIONS</u> - New Vehicles -					
Cars			No.	1,573	877
Commercial			No.	519	421
Cycles			No.	141	114
<u>TRADE EXPORTS</u> 1952-53 £A122,948,346 August			£A	5,932,468	7,733,451
1953-54 £A110,248,953 Jul/Aug			£A	13,709,011	21,245,066
<u>IMPORTS</u> 1952-53 £A43,274,701 August			£A	6,729,853	4,275,534
1953-54 £A51,476,439 Jul/Aug			£A	12,047,410	8,070,333
<u>UNEMPLOYED</u> on benefit end of month			No.	83	596
<u>ELECTRICITY GENERATED</u> by Electricity Trust			KWH	80,971,300	72,575,300
<u>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS</u> (Estimated)				July 1954	July 1953
Factories			M	68,500	64,400
			F	15,400	13,950
Retail Stores			M	11,600	11,350
			F	11,700	11,000
Grand Total (excl. Rural, Domestics, Defence)			M	175,400	169,350
			F	57,100	53,350
			T	232,500	222,700

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